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10 CHANNEL BY OCCURRENCES FREQUENCY OF ZEROS-CROSSING

To: Commissioner for Patents

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Subject: Information disclosure statement under 37 CFR §1.56

20 Dear Sir,

This is an Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the duty to disclose information material to patentability under 37 CFR §1.56. The

applicants wish to make of record the document(s) listed on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08.

Since this IDS is filed before the mailing date of
the first Office action, consideration of the
information disclosure statement is hereby requested
according to 37 CFR §1.97(b). Additionally, each item
of information contained in the information disclosure
statement was first cited in an Office communication
mailed on Apr. 06, 2007 for the counterpart China
patent application No. 03154582.3, which is no more
than three months prior to the filing of the
information disclosure statement.

According to the requirement set forth in 37 CFR §1.98(a)(2), the applicant is submitting a copy of the cited China patent publication No. 1423809A (published 06/11/2003). In accordance with MPEP 609.04(a) III, an English-language equivalent application may be submitted to fulfill the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance. Accordingly, the English-language equivalent U.S. patent publication No. 20030093273 of the above-mentioned China patent publication No. 1423809A is hereby presented to

fulfill the 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3) requirement.

It is respectfully requested that the examiner can consider the document(s) listed on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08 and that it be made of record in the application. The applicant sincerely hopes that the examiner initials the cited reference(s) on the form and that a copy of the initialed form be sent to the applicant with the next communication from the examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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